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- 1. On 13 October 1950, 14 tanks were observed to move into the Newe Kaserne, Parchim (I 54/T 74) at 12:20 p.m. and 18 tanks and motor vehicles
- 2. No troops were observed in the Relig-Mesenburg training area on 17 October 1950. Local residents said that field exercises of tank troops had been conducted in the area west of Wiesenburg prior to 14 October 1950. \*\*

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Comment. Elements of the 18th Mecz Div which returned to their home station, presumably upon completion of the maneuvers in the Mardeburg-Dessau area.

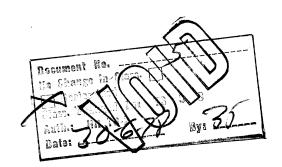
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Comment. All available information indicates that the maneuvers of Third Shock Army elements in the magdeburg-Dessau area were probably completed on 14 October 1950.

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